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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated September 9, 2005, having a shortened statutory period expiring on December 9, 2005. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

No amendments to the Specification are made in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

No amendments to the Drawings are made in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.